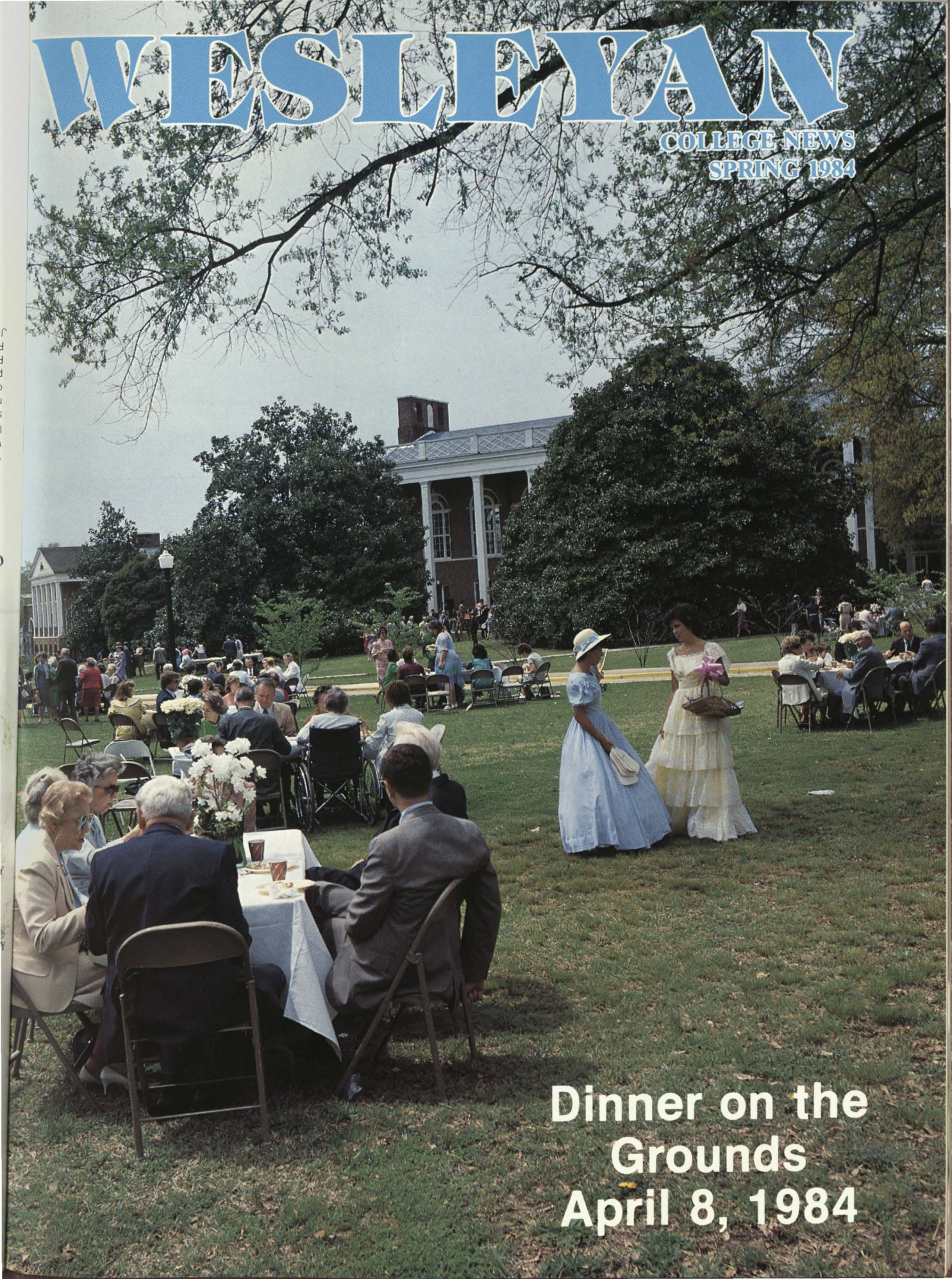


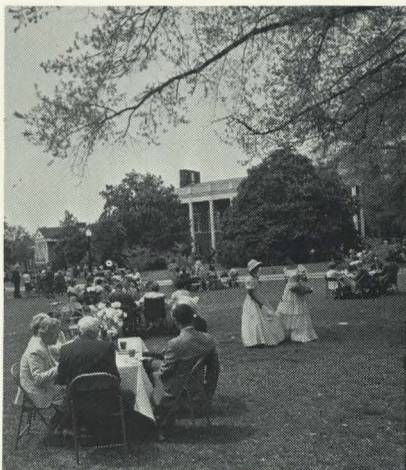
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April 8, 1984

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*Wesleyan held an old-fashioned Dinner on the Grounds April 8. In keeping with Methodist traditions, it was an affair "with dignity and in the very best of fashions." Honored guests were president elect Dr. Robert Ackerman and family. This was the first of a series of events designed to welcome the Ackermans to Wesleyan and Macon.*

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# A TRIBUTE



*Linda Anderson Lane, class of 1919,  
pictured in the gown she wore as the "Spirit of Wesleyan"  
in the Centennial Pageant of 1936.*

## Linda Anderson Lane

1898 - 1984

### Daughter of Wesleyan

The opening line of the **Alma Mater** makes the bold claim that Wesleyan is the "emblem of all that is grand." Linda Anderson Lane, Alumna of 1919, A.B. and B.M., gave substance to that claim as she identified herself with Wesleyan. She achieved recognition as pianist, pursuing post graduate work in New York with Ernest Hucheson and performing on the radio and in concert. She was a leader in the arts in the greater Macon community, serving as president and board member of the Morning Music Club, as an active member of the Friends of Chamber of Music, as a promoter of the Fine Arts Festivals, and as a founding member of the Macon Concert Association. The significance of the impact of her leadership in the arts was recognized in 1978 as she was named recipient of the highest honor in Georgia for one who has contributed to the arts and cultural life of the State: the Governor's Award in the Arts.

Mrs. Lane was an individual with strong religious faith and a deep love for Vineville United Methodist, her church. There she gave of her time and energy for guidance and leadership. Her benevolence of spirit was matched by her generosity of financial stewardship.

Mrs. Lane's sphere of influence in the world community was enhanced by her vision of the brotherhood of man,

by her mental acuity, by her understanding of world events, and by her enthusiasm. A key figure in activating the Macon Chapter of World Federalists and in organizing and sustaining the Macon Council of World Affairs, she was recognized as an articulate world citizen when she was invited to speak before a sub-committee of the United States Senate's Foreign Relations Committee concerning revision of the charter of the United Nations. This grand lady was an alumna whose achievements are a source of pride for her College and an inspiration to the Wesleyan Community.

Linda Anderson Lane was an exceedingly rare friend of the College. Born into a family with an already remarkable record of service to Wesleyan (both parents were trustees) she strengthened that tradition with a commitment and a devotion that is awesome when reviewed. During the 1930's, she launched the Macon campaign to save Wesleyan, and was the most successful alumna, save for the general chairman, her mother, in securing funds for that effort. Her leadership in the Alumnae Association reflected her determination to preserve the bonds of friendship and love between Wesleyan and those former students whose lives had been touched by attendance at the College. Her active presence on campus, her support

of faculty, and her interest in an involvement with students were continuous as long as her health permitted.

She served on the Board of Trustees and instilled the love of Wesleyan in her husband and in two of her children for like service. As benefactor and patron to the College, she was generous with her gifts of time and money to ensure that it would maintain high academic and cultural standards. Many of us are aware of munificent financial gifts; however, there were additional gifts that were anonymous or were given quietly in a manner that would prevent attention being given to the donor. As a result, her generosity is beyond calculation. She was never quiet, however, in her praise of Wesleyan. It has been said that there was never a time when she was not actively involved with a project for Wesleyan. Her perseverance was amazing. She was determined to see that Wesleyan's name was "always blest."

Wesleyan has many daughters. There are few that have lived to the extent of Linda Anderson Lane the closing lines of the **Alma Mater**: "Upholding thine ideals, thy daughters shall be true, faithful and loyal, dear Wesleyan, to thee."

*(Ed. note: The following tribute to Mrs. Lane was adopted by the faculty on May 4, 1984).*

# DR. J. FREDERICK WILSON ENDS YEAR OF LEADERSHIP



At a luncheon in his honor given by the faculty, Ann Munck, faculty president, presents Dr. Wilson a silver candlestick.

On June 1 Wesleyan College bids a loving farewell to acting president Dr. J. Frederick Wilson. Dr. Wilson has served since the resignation of Dr. Fred Hicks in August of 1983. Dr. Robert K. Ackerman, elected president in December, will assume office at this time.

Prior to being named acting president, Dr. Wilson had served as assistant to the president for church relations since 1980. He had retired from service after forty-two years as a minister in the South Georgia Conference of the United Methodist Church. He has been a member of the college's board of trustees for twenty years. As assistant to the president, he worked closely with the president in sustaining Christian education programs on the campus, and in promoting a close association between Wesleyan and the United Methodist Church. He also served as professor of religion and philosophy.

Dr. Wilson speaks warmly of the many people at Wesleyan who lent their assistance to him during his tenure. "The trustees, faculty, alumnae, staff, students and the student leaders," he says, "were wonderfully supportive and helpful to me as I carried out my responsibilities as president."

"His leadership as president has been extremely valuable to all of us," said Frank C. Jones, chairman of the board. "Wesleyan is deeply grateful to

Frederick Wilson for his willingness and generosity in serving as acting president this year."

Upon his retirement, Dr. Wilson looks forward to a year's sabbatical from "duties" to enjoy traveling with his wife, Henry Kate. "As I leave this office," he says, "I know that it is going to be filled by an outstanding person. I am confident that everyone associated with Wesleyan College will support him as they have so firmly supported me."

Speaking at the alumnae weekend candlelighting ceremony, Dr. Wilson quoted the following text from the Gospel according to St. Luke (8:16):

*No one, having lighted a candle covers it with a vessel or puts it under a bed;*

## Senator Sam Nunn Elected Wesleyan Trustee



United States Senator Sam Nunn was elected to the Wesleyan College Board of Trustees at the winter meeting, February 16, 1984. Senator Nunn has served as a United States Senator since 1972. He currently serves

but places it on a candlestick, so that any who enter the room may see by its light.

It is understandable to all who worked with Dr. Wilson during his presidency that he should choose this text, for his inspirational leadership has been a lighted candle for all to see and follow.

## Dinner on the Grounds Honors New President and Family

Wesleyan held a real, old-fashioned dinner on the grounds on Sunday April 8, to honor newly elected President of the College, Robert Kilgo Ackerman, and his family. Given by the Board of Trustees, the festivities were held on the lawn in front of the Mt. Vernon porch.

Tables were arranged for the hundreds of guest who joined faculty, staff and students in welcoming the Ackermans to the campus. Georgia-style picnic food was served, much of which was prepared by members of local Methodist churches.

During the luncheon the Macon Brass Quintet, under the direction of Susan McDuffie '53, performed. Following the lunch, Bishop Joe McDavid gave a brief welcoming address and Dr. Frederick Wilson introduced the guests to Dr. and Mrs. Ackerman and their daughters, Betty and Roxanne.

Faculty members Edward Eikner, pianist, and Nancy Rowland Rehberg, '66, mezzo soprano, gave a concert in the Porter auditorium following the luncheon in honor of the Ackermans.

on the Armed Services Committee, Governmental Affairs Committee and Small Business Committee.

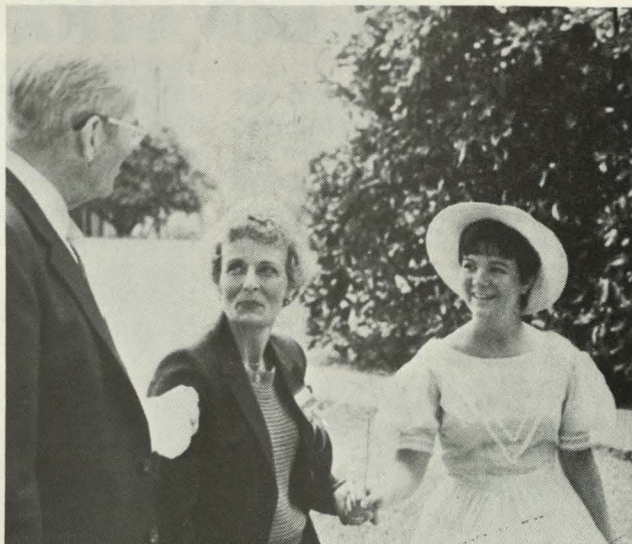
Senator Nunn, who is from Perry, Georgia, attended Georgia Tech and graduated from Emory University Law School. Prior to his election to the Senate, he served Houston County in the Georgia House of Representatives for two terms (1968-1972).

His mother, Elizabeth Cannon Nunn, is a 1926 graduate. His aunt, Bessie Houser Nunn, was also a Wesleyan graduate. His sister, Betty Nunn Mori, attended Wesleyan for two years as a member of the class of 1958.

# Dinner on the Grounds: A Day to Remember



Alumnae Ruth Dobbs Bryant ('82), left, and Neva Langley Fickling ('55) prepare hampers for a Dinner on the Grounds feature for the April 5 Macon Telegraph and News.



Bishop Joel McDavid is introduced to student hostess Billie Powell by her mother, Sylvia Anderson Powell, ('59).



The food was plentiful, the day pleasant, as friends and guests of the college participated in the first of a series of pre-Inaugural events.



(l to r) Dean Mary Hatfield, ('48) Dinner on the Grounds chairman Martha Swann, ('47) Beth Marecki ('85) and Katie Brennan ('87) discuss student hostess responsibilities.



Dr. Robert Ackerman, guest of honor, greets guests at his table.



More than 400 participants heard after-dinner remarks by Dr. Wilson, Dr. Ackerman and Bishop McDavid.

# COLLIER ART GALLERY RENOVATION COMPLETED

A formal reception marked the opening of the newly renovated West Wing of the Cowles Myles Collier Art Gallery. John Buchanan, Director of the Lakeview Museum of Arts and Sciences, Peoria, Illinois, gave the dedicatory address.

The renovation of the gallery was made possible through a grant from

the James Hyde Porter Fund. Representative works from Wesleyan's permanent collection were hung in the gallery for the opening.

Georgie Collier Comer of Savannah provided the funds for the establishment of the west galleries in the Porter Memorial Auditorium in memory of her famous artist father.



Following reopening ceremonies, speaker Buchanan is greeted by (l to r) Mrs. Wilson, Art Department Chairman Tony Rice and Dr. Wilson.



With several of Wesleyan's newly hung art treasures as his backdrop John Buchanan tells the audience that "Small galleries are jewels in our culture."

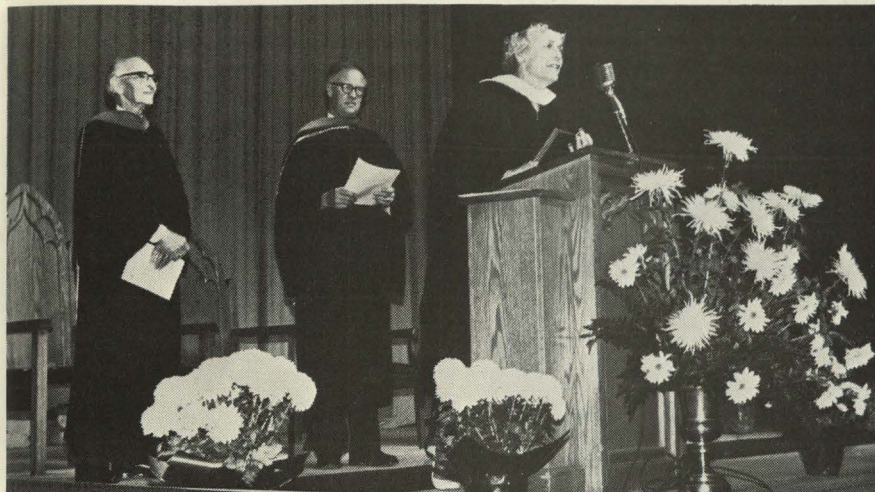


Joseph W. Popper, (r.) chairman of the Bibb County Porter Fund committee, is welcomed to the gallery by renovation committee members Dr. Fletcher Anderson and Rose Mary McKelvey.



It was standing room only as area artists and college friends attended the reopening ceremony.

# JULIA MUNROE WOODWARD RECEIVES HONORARY DEGREE



(l to r) Dr. Wilson, Trustee Chairman Frank Jones, Julia Munroe Woodward.

Julia Munroe Woodward, '34, was awarded the honorary degree, Doctor of Humane Letters, at commencement on May 5, 1984. In recognition of her outstanding contributions to Wesleyan and her community of Quincy, Florida, Board Chairman Frank C. Jones read the following citation:

"In 1934 Julia Munroe Woodward was graduated from Wesleyan College with the A.B. degree, cum laude. In 1935 she married Robert Davidson Woodward, Jr., of Quincy, Florida, where they reared a family of six children. Julia Woodward's activities radiated from the home to the varied involvements of the growing family. She was recognized as a leader in the Quincy community, earned the title of

"Woman of the Year" through work as Girl Scout organizer and troop leader for thirteen years, in Garden Club, PTA, the Quincy Presbyterian Church, and ten years as adviser to the Candy Striper Group of Gadsden Hospital Auxiliary. In 1959 the Quincy Exchange Club presented her their "Book of Golden Deeds" award, citing her unselfish service to the community and her devotion to the "Golden Rule." She is listed in the 1961 edition of **Who's Who of American Women**. Her outstanding service to Wesleyan College was recognized in 1974 when she received the Alumnae Award for Distinguished Service to the College. For twenty-five years she served faithfully and effec-

tively as a Trustee of the College, only very recently retiring from the Trustee Emeritus relationship with the Board. Her exemplary life and her great devotion to Wesleyan have enabled her to win many students for the College. She has kept through the years a vital interest in Wesleyan students and student affairs; and, on campus for innumerable events, she has visited in the dormitories with genuine interest and caring love for Wesleyan students. Her generous financial support of Wesleyan has been tangible evidence of her love for her Alma Mater and her loyalty to it."

## "Arts Alive" to be Held This Summer

"Arts Alive!" for young musicians will make its debut at Wesleyan the week of June 18. Area piano students from grades 7-12 and voice students in grades 11 and 12 are invited to attend this summer workshop sponsored by Wesleyan's Music Department. Youthful musicians may participate in musical opportunities ranging from private lessons, classes, and ensembles to dance. Participants will have an opportunity to work with outstanding professional musicians and teachers.

"Arts Alive!" will feature artist-instructors Linda Lane, concert pianist, and Jean Weaver, owner of Dance Arts in Macon. Courses will also be taught by Wesleyan's summer music faculty: Dr. Fletcher Anderson, Nancy Dyes, Edward Eikner, Nancy Rehberg, Dr. Sylvia Ross and John O'Steen.

Linda Lane, a graduate of Vassar College and Indiana University, studied with Isabelle Vengerova in New York. She has given recitals, workshops and lectures throughout the Southeast. She gave her London debut at Wigmore Hall in 1975.

Jean Weaver's teachers have included Joseph Levinoff, Richard Thomas, and Daniel Levans of the New York School of Ballet.

In addition to attending daily instructional sessions and rehearsals, students will have the option of living on the Wesleyan campus for the week.

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## Harpsichord Presented to Music Department

The music department is the proud new owner of a beautiful reproduction seventeenth century Flemish harpsichord. The harpsichord was a gift from the late Linda Anderson Lane '19, and was built in 1981 by Richard Kingston, harpsichord maker of Marshall, North Carolina.

The soundboard is painted in the traditional seventeenth century manner with such decorations as flowers and butterflies. Also featured on the soundboard is a rosette emblem bearing the motto of Wesleyan, "Judge not by outward appearance." The jack rail bears a gold leaf inscription, "Soli Deo Gloria" (only to the glory of God). All of the manuscripts of Bach bear this inscription.



Associate professor of music John O'Steen plays as Linda Lane, daughter of the late Linda Anderson Lane, looks on.

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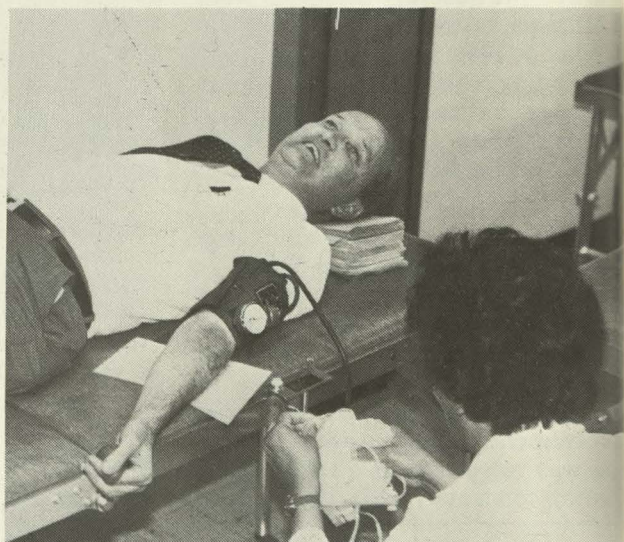


New equipment in the exercise room attracted many students. Donated by Julie Munroe Woodward and Julia Woodward Gregory, the equipment has helped promote interest in physical fitness.

Dr. Ackerman happened to be at Wesleyan the same day as the Bloodmobile. Before his visit was over, he had "given his all" - not only for the College, but also for the American Red Cross.



Honors Day Convocation ceremonies meant awards for many outstanding students. Here, Dr. Leah Strong, chairman of the American Studies Division, presents the Stephen Harris Cook Humanities Award to Jennifer Smith.



Wesleyan's first annual "Spring Fling" was held on the Quad in April. Activities included tennis, swimming, volleyball, softball, a road race, eating and socializing with fraternity men from area colleges. Education Division chairman, Dr. Marie Davis, (front row, white shirt) is pictured here with the road race participants.



# Scenes

The 1983-84 Wesleyannes choral ensemble had a very successful year with concerts at Christmas, in the spring, on the road and a special "going away" performance for Acting President Wilson. Seated are director Dr. Fletcher Anderson and accompanist John O'Steen.



The PK's had a surprise for everyone at the SGA awards assembly - stereo equipment to be placed in the recreation room for use with the new exercise equipment.



This tired twosome was returning from color rush, this year won by the freshman class.



The year passed quickly - and suddenly, it was May 5 - Commencement Day. Faculty members lined the drive to Porter Auditorium in honor of the class of '84.



# Golden Belles Celebrate Fiftieth Anniversary



The class of '34 gathers in the Manget Dining Room April 6 for its 50th anniversary dinner.

Twenty-six members of the class of 1934 celebrated their fiftieth anniversary reunion alumnae weekend by joining Dr. and Mrs. Frederick Wilson at the third annual Golden Belles Dinner.

The new Golden Belles were joined by reunion class members who had already celebrated their fiftieth reunion. Membership in the Golden Belles is automatic upon reaching the fiftieth reunion year.

Also joining Dr. and Mrs. Wilson were Frances Bruce Van Horn '53, director of Alumnae Affairs, Linda Anderson Bailey '71, Betty Jo Hammock Boyes '48 and Laura Sullivan Barkley '68.

The following members of the 1934 fiftieth reunion class and other Golden Belles were present:

EVELYN SEWELL RINEER '34  
JAMES S. RINEER  
MAUDE BRADLEY LEE '21  
MARTHA CLARK BAKER '21  
LORA WATERMAN BURKE '21  
ANNETTE RICHARDSON CHAPPELL '29  
R.A. CHAPPELL  
MARY GRAY MUNROE COBEY '34  
W.W. COBEY  
MARIE C. HAYNES '34  
JULIA MUNROE WOODWARD '34  
JEANETTE CORBITT KELLY '34  
ELVA KENSINGER MCWILLIAMS '29  
MARY LESTER BROOKS '29  
CUYLER W. BROOKS  
EMMA STEPHENS WILSON '34  
JOHN CASH  
MARTHA ELLEN GAINES CASH '34  
CHARLOTTE TYUS DEKLE '34  
CLYDE DEKLE  
LUCIA CHAPPELL DOMINGOS '19  
EUGENIA PEACOCK ENGLISH '34  
W.I. ENGLISH  
VIRGINIA MILAM JORDAN '34  
L. COLLIER JORDAN  
PETER KNOX  
MARY LYLES AIKEN KNOX '34  
B.L. "BILL" REGISTER

MARY RICHARDSON REGISTER '34  
MISS ALFREDA STANLEY '29  
MINNIE BURNS SCHMIDT '19  
FRANCES REES '34  
OSBORNE SANDERS AIKEN '33  
ELISE WILLIAMS AIKEN '34  
MISS ELIZABETH WHITEHEAD '34  
MISS SARA L. LAMON '29  
JUANITA STOKES BLACK '34  
BETTY HITCH OWENS '34  
MARY MURPHEY DILLON '34  
FRANCES COOK SANDERS '34  
MILDRED TARPLEY PERRY '34  
ELSIE LOWDEN HAMBRIGHT '34  
BILL HAMBRIGHT  
ANNE SCHAUT JOHNSTONE '20  
DORIS BATTLE JONES '29  
HAYES FOWLER LAWTON '34  
FLORENCE TRIMBLE JONES '20  
RUTH COX LANTZ '34  
J. EDWARD LANTZ  
MILDRED KENDRICK MATHEWS '34  
EDWIN F. MATHEWS  
CAROLYN WILSON RUFFO '34  
FLORENCE WELDON SMITH '34  
GERTRUDE ROWLENSON WRIGHT '20  
IRMA KING GUEST '42  
MARGARET MURPHEY MARTIN '33

## George Warren Gignilliat Poetry Prize Awarded to CCS Student

Ruth Cox Lantz (Mrs. J. Edward), '34, has initiated and funded an annual poetry prize for Wesleyan students. Sponsored by the Academy of American Poets, the annual award has been named the George Warren Gignilliat Poetry Prize in honor of the Cobb Alumnae Professor Emeritus, who was former chairman of the English Department for thirty years.

One hundred twenty colleges and universities throughout the country participate. The rules and guidelines are determined by each individual school, and the judges are chosen by the department. Among schools participating are Agnes Scott, Bryn Mawr, Duke, Emory, Goucher, Hollins, Mt. Holyoke, Randolph-Macon, Sarah Lawrence, Smith, Vassar and Vander-

bilt. The program, which has attained national prominence, was established to encourage interest in poetry and writing among college students.

Lori Lea Amore of Macon is Wesleyan's first award winner. An

English major, she is enrolled in Wesleyan's Center for Continuing Studies. The award was made on honors day in April. Both Dr. Gignilliat and Mrs. Lantz were present for the presentation.



(l to r) Prize initiator Ruth Cox Lantz, Miss Ann Munck of the English Department and Alumnae President Laura Sullivan Barkley '68.

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## Alumnae Awards Presented



(l to r) Alumnae award winners Burns, Hamilton, Person, Kaufman, English and Pease.

The Wesleyan College Alumnae Association presented Distinguished Service and Distinguished Achievement awards to six of the College's graduates at the annual meeting, April 7.

Helen Moore Person, (AB '22), was cited for Distinguished Service to the Church, and Marian Waxelbaum Kaufman, (AB '38), received the alumnae award for Distinguished Service to the Community.

Mary Ann Mathews Pease, (AB '44), Alice Ann Hamilton, (AB '53), Hazel Holmes Burns, (AB '41), and Theresa Rett English, (BFA '49), were presented with Distinguished Achievement awards.

Mrs. Person, who studied music at Wesleyan, was for 36 years teacher of Latin, English, French and chorus at the Gallatin, Tennessee, high school. During that time she was also glee club director and head of the dramatics department, winning many awards and prizes with her groups. While Minister of Music at the Gallatin First Baptist Church, she directed four choirs and was for 33 years a Sunday School teacher of adults. The former Gallatin Mother of the Year remains active in church work in Clarksville, Tennessee.

An active Macon volunteer, Mrs. Kaufman has worked with the visually handicapped in both Girl Scouting and at Temple Beth Israel. There, she co-founded the Chit-Chat Club, which serves the visually handicapped of many faiths. Nominated last year for the Temple's Good Neighbor award,

Kaufman has also been active in the YWCA, Macon Little Theatre, League of Women Voters, Audubon Society, Macon Heritage Foundation and Macon Tennis Foundation.

Mrs. Pease, honored for distinguished achievement in her community, is a third-generation Wesleyan graduate. Her mother, Weeta Watts Mathews ('19), earned this same award in 1953.

Mrs. Pease, who organized the Auxiliary of the Columbus, Georgia, Medical Center, is its first and only director of volunteers. In 1980, she was named one of 10 Gracious Ladies of Georgia. She is active in many Columbus civic organizations, and has been honored by the Chatahoochee Business and Professional Women's Club and Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority.

Mrs. Burns, also recognized for service to the community, has had a number of "firsts" in her civic involvement. Besides being the first female president of the United Way of Macon and Bibb County this past year, she was also its first female finance chairperson. Mrs. Burns was the first woman in the Diocese of Atlanta to be named Senior Warden in an Episcopal Church. She served in this capacity at St. Paul's, and has also been Junior Warden there.

She has been active with the board of the Washington Memorial Library, the Family Service Agency, Boy's Clubs, The Junior League and state and local levels of the Colonial Dames of America. She is currently serving as a Wesleyan trustee.

Alice Ann Hamilton, honored for distinguished achievement in a profession, also has a "first" in her career. As the first woman to hold the position of Assistant Superintendent of Schools in DeKalb County, she gained statewide recognition for her work with school personnel. Under her leadership, the DeKalb schools personnel department won a National Award for Excellence for its personnel policies handbook from a division of the Educational Services Bureau. In 1982, she was named "A Special Friend to Exceptional Children" by the Dogwood Chapter of the Council for Exceptional Children.

Honored for distinguished achievement in art, artist Theresa Rett English studied with Lucille Blanch, Emile Holzhauer and Marshall Daugherty. A former Wesleyan and Mercer instructor, she now paints and teaches in her own studio. Besides teaching and preparing students for college entrance and job application, she has organized many exhibits and festivals, including the first regional art show at the Macon Museum in 1964. For 18 years a judge of the Georgia State Fair Art Show, Mrs. English has also given many demonstrations, lectures and critiques. One of her paintings, "Water Glistens," which now hangs in the State Capitol, was selected by the Georgia Council for the Arts to tour the state in 1983. She has received a Governor's Award for Excellence.

# ALUMNAE WEEKEND



Class of '66 members Barbara Sneden Exum, Jo Bogan Prout and Cile Adams Mathews caught up on news of family and mutual friends.



Theresa Rett English ('49) reassured grandson Rett Molleson (5 yrs.) that brunch time was not far away.



Dr. Robert K. Ackerman, president-elect, addressed the annual meeting April 7 in Porter Auditorium.



"Brunching" together were (l to r) Carswell Hannon ('84); "Sir" George McKinney, representing 3 Wesleyan generations: Page Clements ('84), Elizabeth Garrett Page ('23), Betty Page ('46); and Mary Clements.

Evelyn Sewell Rineer ('34) autographed a copy of *Star Dusting* for Helen Anne Richards, ('80).



# HIGHLIGHTS

## "A STAR IS BORN"

Henry Kate Wilson became the fourth Wilson family member of the Green Knights class, modeling her new Green Knights' skirt as family and annual meeting participants shared her delight.



Alumnae and seniors walked to Porter Auditorium to participate in the annual meeting and candlelighting ceremony at which the seniors were welcomed into the Wesleyan Alumnae Association.



Soccer skills were rejuvenated at the alumnae-student soccer game, along with an ORIGINAL class shirt on the right. Can you tell what class??



Author Carolyn Lawton Harrell ('33) autographed Kith and Kin for Crystal Ball Davidson, ('80).



Golden Belles Mildred Tarpy Perry and Virginia Milam Jordan paused beside a "class of 1934" Ford, lent for the occasion by Wesleyan comptroller, Ed Starling.

# IN MEMORIAM

## JULIA BRANTLEY WILLET

Isaac Leroy Domingos, Jr., B.M.,  
1937. Assistant Professor of  
Theoretical Music. (1941-1951)

Frank VanZant, 1946-1954,  
Superintendent of Buildings and  
Grounds; Conservatory Campus

The Conservatory Senior Class of  
1949 dedicated THE VETERROPT to  
Frank VanZant with these words:  
"When anything goes wrong, he will  
fix it....when you're feeling low, a  
smile from him will cheer you....with a  
twinkle in his eye and a happy grin for  
everyone, he hurries about the campus  
superintending the big and little things  
that make living at Wesleyan comfort-  
able and pleasant. That's why we  
dedicate our VETERROPT to our own  
MR. VANZANT."

## DECEASED

- 1904 Ella Mae Evans Rogers
- 1908 Louise Wright Jones  
Ethel Hay Harrell Smith
- 1909 Susan Leonard  
Ruth Pinkston Norman
- 1911 Helen Carpenter Buchanan
- 1913 Louise Matthews Stephens  
Gladys Garfield Tubbs
- 1915 Janey Galt Bailor
- 1916 Kate Aiken
- 1917 Evelyn Collier Cason  
Fannie Blitch Graham  
Marie Peterson Palmer
- 1918 Dorothea Wilkins Vanderslice  
Dixie Faust Williams
- 1919 Linda Anderson Lane
- 1920 Mary Wesley Carter  
Helen Cox Inghram  
Ruth Gardiner Knox
- 1922 Annie K. Edwards Baxley
- 1923 Margaret Porter Gordon  
Frances I. Outler
- 1924 Mary Harwell Crapps  
Audrey Jenkins Garrard  
Gheraltine Knox Holland
- 1925 Loulie Forrester Burns  
Emmie May Jay Knight  
Stella Johnson Sherman
- 1926 Florence Thomas Riggs
- 1927 Marguerite Miller Herndon  
Margaret Fowler Patton
- 1928 Mamie Burton  
Helen White Thornton
- 1932 Teresa Reddick McNeill  
Rachael McDaniel Nelson  
Dorothy Quillian Smith
- 1934 Marion Thorpe Corbin  
Lillian Jones Eldridge  
Louise Daniel Jenkins  
Jennie Wray Shepherd Marsh  
Alice McKinnon Mathews
- 1935 Milledge Anderson McNair

A number of educational, cultural, philanthropic and medical institutions and churches were remembered as beneficiaries in the will of Mrs. Lawrence Willet, who died on March 31 in her 84th year.

Among those included are the Talullah Falls School, the Georgia Fund for Independent Colleges, the Georgia Tech Foundation, Mercer University and Wesleyan College, the Atlanta Historical Society, the Pierce County Library, the Children's Rehabilitation Center, the A.G. Rhodes Home, the United Way of Metropolitan Atlanta, Our Lady of Perpetual Help Cancer Home, the Henrietta Eggleston Hospital for Children, the John Hopkins Hospital, the First Presbyterian Church of Atlanta and the Presbyterian Church of Blackshear, Georgia.

This partial list of her benefactions illustrates the breadth of Mrs. Willet's interests and her compassion for those afflicted or distressed in mind, body or estate.

Together with her husband, the late Lawrence Willet, she had been a generous donor to Mercer University and Wesleyan College, making possible the construction of the Lucy Lester Willet Memorial Library at Wesleyan and the Hugh Miller Willet Science Center at Mercer.

Recently she had made substantial gifts to the Pierce County Hospital, including a pavilion for the pleasure and comfort of the residents of the nursing home attached to the Hospital; and to the Presbyterian Church of Blackshear, the Fellowship Hall of which was given by her and is named in her honor. Her many private and individual gifts are known only to the recipients.

Julia Brantley Willet was born in Blackshear, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A.P. Brantley. In 1921 she was married to Lawrence Willet and lived in Atlanta thereafter. Following the example set by her mother, Ella Foreacre Brantley, who had been President of the Georgia Federation of Women's Clubs, Mrs. Willet was active in community affairs. She was influential in the founding of the Young Matrons' Circle of the Talullah Falls School and was the first President of the Circle. She was a trustee of the Children's Rehabilitation Center. She was a member of the Atlanta Historical Society, and, for 55 years, of the History Class of 1884.

Julia Willet was an elegant and beautiful woman, beautiful in her person and her spirit. A discriminating reader with impeccable taste, she had the true scholar's respect for facts and rejection of prejudice. Her life was one of loving care and service—to her parents; her husband; his parents; her beloved sister; the late Constance Brantley Ragan; and her sister's children and grandchildren. Of the many gifts she made, the greatest was the gift of herself. She enriched the life of all who knew her.

*(Ed. note: The above tribute was written by Dr. Catherine Sims of Atlanta former Sweetbriar College dean and a close friend of Mrs. Willett).*

- 1936 Ruth Brannen Gignilliat  
Mary Rumph McGehee  
Marie Haley Warren
- 1937 Roy Domingos
- 1938 Mary Ella Wilkes Jackson
- 1946 Josephine Bledsoe Desiderio
- 1948 Lynn Ballentine Grant
- 1949 Jane Kendrick Laurens
- 1967 Barbara D. Walton Brown

HONORINE BOLLINGER VAN ZANDT, '24, Eatonton, GA, in the death of her husband, Frank, on November 14, 1983. He served as superintendent of building and grounds of Wesleyan Conservatory from 1946-1954.

ELIZABETH GARRETT PAGE, '24, Dublin, GA, in the death of her son, Garrett Page, in August 1983.

FRANCES PEABODY MCKAY, '25, Clearwater, FL, in the death of her husband, Clifford McKay, on December 23, 1983.

KATHERINE WALKER McELHENY, '26, Ft. Worth, TX, in the death of her sister, Sue, in January 1984.

MARY LOU CATE CLARKE, '27, Newport News, VA, in the death of her husband, A.B., in January 1983.

## SYMPATHY TO

VAIL JONES WEEMS, '18, Sebring, FL in the death of her husband, Howard Vincent Weems, on June 22, 1983.

FRANCES HOLLAND PRINGLE COX, '21, Ft. Myers, FL, in the death of her brother, John Holland, on March 21, 1984.

THELMA LEE MILLER CURTIS, '29, Atlanta, GA, in the death of her sister, MARGARET MILLER HERNDON, '27, Cave Springs, GA, on March 1, 1984.

WINNIE MEYER BENSCOTER, '30, Atlanta, GA, in the death of her husband, Daniel B. Bencoter, in September 1983.

JULIA BRYANT EVANS, '31, Bartow, GA, in the death of her husband, Fred Evans in November 1983.

CAROLYN BLACKSHEAR WILSON, '32, Ft. Lauderdale, FL, in the death of her husband, Jack F. Wilson, in June 1983.

CHRYSTELLE DARBY CHASTAIN, '38, Vidalia, GA, in the death of her husband, J.Y. Chastain in December, 1983.

LOUISE WADSWORTH JEFFCOAT, '39, Columbia, SC, in the death of her brother, Jimmy, in November 1983.

MARGARET McKINNON, '39, Winter Park, FL, in the death of her sister, ALICE McKINNON MATHEWS, '34, on January 9, 1984.

ELIZABETH GARRETT (BETTY) PAGE, '46, Martinez, GA, in the death of her brother, Garrett Page in August, 1983.

BETTY WHITEHEAD SWEENEY, '47, Carlton, GA, in the death of her husband, James B. Sweeney, on March 9, 1983.

BETTY KENDRICK, '48, Atlanta, GA, in the death of her sister, JANE KENDRICK LAURENS, '49, Clarksville, GA, in January 1984.

MARY McKay STEPHAN, '49, Clearwater, FL, in the death of her father, Clifford McKay on December 23, 1983.

ELIZABETH KINNEY WINDROW, '50, Brownsville, TN, in the death of her husband, Paul Windrow, in February 1984.

ANNE McKay GARRIS, '51, Clearwater, FL, in the death of her father, Clifford McKay, on December 23, 1984.

GRAY AYERS MANSINNE, '53, Arlington, VA, in death of her mother, JOSEPHINE KING AYERS, '19.

JUANITA SEXTON DOWLING, '55, Harrisburg, PA, in the death of her husband, Edward C. Dowling, Sr., in January 1984.

SARAH BOB WARE ARTHUR, '56, Warner Robins, GA, in the death of her sister, Martha Ware, in December 1983.

LEE BRENAMAN WILLIAMS, '59, Atlanta, GA, in the death of her husband, Richard Williams, on January 14, 1984.

GLORIA BOYETTE PRICE, '60, Valdosta, GA, in the death of her brother in January 1984.

DR. CHARLOTTE COOK, '64, Macon, GA, in the death of her father, M.W. Cook, on April 5, 1984.

MYRA BOYETTE, '66, Houston, TX, in the death of her brother in January 1984.

NANCY LOWE TAYLOR, '68, Smyrna, GA, in the death of her father in September 1982.

ROBIN CHESNEY HOPKINS, '70, Bel Air, MD, in the death of her mother, Mrs. Hainey Chesney, on December 2, 1983.

MARGARET MATHEWS, '73, Warner Robins, GA, in the death of her mother, ALICE McKINNON MATHEWS, '34, on January 9, 1984.

PAGE CLEMENTS, '84, Thomson, GA, in the death of her Uncle, Garrett Page, in August, 1983.

## WEDDINGS

ELLEN COBLEIGH, '71, to Bud Tomteron on July 3, 1982.

MARY LOUISE JEFFCOAT, '72, to William Porcher Dubose III on November 19, 1983, in Columbia, SC.

PATILEE TATE, '78, to Kelly Stinson in Milledgeville, GA.

CANDY MUEHLBAUER, '78, to Fred Shockley in January.

JENNA THURSTON, '78, to William Benton Nash, Jr., July 9, 1983, in Salisbury, NC.

KIM MILLER, '83, to Scott Pounds on June 25, 1983, in Ellaville, GA.

Born to Jay and ANNE SCARBOROUGH HUGHES, '78, a daughter, Mollie Elizabeth, November 21, 1983.

Born to Mark and JUDY PRIESTER JOHNSON, '78, a son, Christopher David, December 17, 1983. Brother Robert Allen is 2.

Born to George and CATHERINE HAYE SAUTER, '79, a son, George Guy IV, January 24, 1984.

Born to Mike and LYNNE ANTHOINE HUEGLIN, '79, a daughter, Wendy Marie, August 26, 1983. Brother Bill is 2.

Born to Phil and SYLVIA SHIRAH HAYNIE, '80, a son, James Phillip, February 10, 1984.

Born to John and SHARON LYNCH BOND, '73, a son, David Matthew, January 28, 1984.

Born to Grant and LICIA DRINNON JACKSON, '73, a daughter, Hilary Lauren, April 2, 1984.

Born to N.E. and GAIL DIXON MANN, '74, a daughter, Marlene, February 5, 1984.

Born to Lew and MAELU DARSEY CULPEPPER, '74, a daughter, Darsey Elizabeth, February 6, 1984. Brother Adam is 2.

Born to Robert and CAMILLE MABRY DAVIS, '74, a daughter, Olivia Michelle, February 4, 1984.

Born to Roger and DEBORAH GARDNER GREEN, '74, a daughter, Jennifer Lauren, March, 1984.

Born to Robert and JEAN BARGERON, '75, a daughter, Christina Ruth, in November, 1983.

Born to Edward and LAURA YOUNG PINGSTON, '75, a daughter, Victoria Lynn, February 11, 1984.

Born to Larry and CATHY BAILEY CRUMBLEY, '77, a daughter, Constance Michele, March 3, 1984.

Born to James and DEBRA HARPER ROBINSON, '78, a daughter.

Born to Reuben and MILLIE SMITH BEVERLY, '78, a daughter, Theresa Michelle, December 2, 1983.

Born to Ronald and JANET RUMBLAR BROOKS, '78, a son, Christopher David, October 6, 1983.

Born to Robert J. and JERI LYNN ELLIS GOODMAN, '78, a son, Richard James, July 19, 1983.

## BIRTHS

Born to Bruce and PAMELA FINLAYSON MERIDETH, '70, a daughter, Heather Marie, October 28, 1983.

Born to Tony and SHARRON MAYS LAWN, '71, a son, William Anthony, August 9, 1983.

Born to Clark and CAROL ROGERS SMITH, '71, a daughter, Georgeanna Reese, March 29, 1984.

# Notes of Classes

'11

Happy 95th Birthday to **KATHARINE SUDDAH STRIBLING**, '11, Habersham, Georgia! She celebrated by joining her family in private box seats at the Braves' baseball game on Mother's Day.

'17

Dr. John Ransome Lewis, Jr., Poet Laureate of Georgia, son of **ETHEL BOONE LEWIS**, Louisville, GA, was the speaker on January 19 at Wesleyan in the Georgia Writer Series, which is sponsored by the English Department.

'18

Mrs. Edward G. Fenwick notified the Alumnae Office in November, 1983, of the death on July 13, 1981, of her mother, **DOROTHEA WILKINS VANDERSLICE**, of Arlington VA. We share excerpts from her letter: "She loved Wesleyan deeply. I cannot remember when she first told me of Wesleyan, but I believe it must have been the day I was born. My memories and her stories go back to my beginnings. I could visualize the school and Mother there. I could see and hear her when she gave her piano recital. All of her stories I must write down for her grandchildren as they are stories of love and devotion for Wesleyan...I pray Wesleyan shall always hold the fond memories for its graduates that it held for my mother."

'19

**MRS. GRAY AYERS MANSINNE** '53 notified the alumnae office in January of the death of her mother, **JOSEPHINE KING AYERS**,

Greensboro, GA. We share excerpts from her letter: "The passing of Josephine marks the end of a direct family line whose association with the town of Greensboro spans a century and a half - 1817. For all of her adult life, she was active in the Methodist Church. Always she was a loving and proud supporter of Wesleyan College."

**PAULA SNELLING**, Clayton, GA, is now a resident at Ridge Crest Hospital in Clayton, GA. Though unable to attend her 65th class reunion, she sends regards to her classmates and expresses her affection for Wesleyan.

'21

**EDNA TYSON SCHLEICHER**, a retired teacher, lives in Philadelphia, PA.

'22

"Hearing the address of our new president, Dr. Robert Ackerman, was an outstanding pleasure," concludes **HELEN MOORE PERSON**, Clarksville, TN, in a lovely note of thanks to the alumnae office for the alumnae weekend events.

'24

Twenty-eight members of Atlanta Wesleyan Alumnae Group IV met for a luncheon in January as guests of Lenbrook Square, a retirement condominium development on Peachtree Road. **ARLINE HARRIS**, Atlanta, GA, group chairman, writes that **RUTH PROCTOR**, '48, Atlanta, GA, public relations director at Lenbrook Square, arranged the luncheon and gave members a tour of the facilities. **LUCY CUNYUS**

**MULCAHY**, '24, gave a book review and showed copies of the *History of Bartow County* of which she is the author.



*Members of Atlanta Alumnae group IV enjoyed a January luncheon at Lenbrook Square. Among those invited by Director Ruth Nesbitt Proctor, ('45). were (l to r) Katherine Clarke, Mildred Sims, Ellen Pope, Irene Hobby, Louise Woods and Colleen Davis.*

'26

**FRANCES HOLLAND PRINGLE COX**, Ft. Myers, FL writes that **KATHERINE WALKER McELHENEY** visited her last summer. They went to Miami to see **LOIS BELL McDONELL**.

**KATHERINE WALKER McELHENY**, Fort Worth, TX, recently visited Macon on the way home from Sue's daughter's wedding in Charleston, SC. Grandson Chuck Sanders was captain of his high school Whiz Kids team that placed third nationally in 1983.

**ELIZABETH CANNON NUNN'S** son, U.S. Senator Sam Nunn, has been elected a trustee of Wesleyan. She lives in Perry, GA.

'27

**MAIDEE MEEKS BARNETT** is retired and lives in Quincy, FL.

'28

Congratulations to **FRANCES E. ADAIR**, Cartersville, GA, on the publishing of her book, *A Little Leaner*. She writes that the first edition has almost sold out in the first two months!

Classmates of the late **INDUK PAHK** will be delighted to learn that a statue



*Class of 1919, 1920, 1921*

of Mrs. Pahk was unveiled at the Induk Institute last fall. "The statue stands in the center of the campus," writes President Kim, "reminding us of the high ideals and the spirit to which she was devoted throughout her life." Induk's grandson, Joseph Joonghee Lee, is chairman of the school's U.S.A. board, is married and has three children. Plans are underway to convert the school into a four-year college.



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## '29

Seven members of the class of '29 attended the "Golden Belles" dinner alumnae weekend. Following the dinner ANNETTE RICHARDSON CHAPPELL, Macon, GA, and her husband, Arch, held the class party at their home. ELIZABETH GILL BLALOCK, Moultrie, GA, sends the following compiled by MARY LESTER BROOKS, Decatur, GA, on those attending and those who wrote news:

ADDIE STEPHENS REYNOLDS is living in Griffin, GA, now, happy to be near her daughter and family; LILLIAN SHEAROUSE ANDERSON and Addie get together often; DORIS BATTLE JONES has a two year great grandchild; ELVA KENSINGER McWILLIAMS has a new grandchild; ALFREDA STANLEY is glad to be back in Macon; SARA LAMON and MARGARET EDENFIELD stay involved in all kinds of activities; MARY WINN HARRIS writes in her old "lively" style how she wanted to be there but illness and business matters prevented her from attending; ELEANOR ROYAL OGBURN writes of her regret at not being able to attend. She lost her husband in 1965. She has a son and a

daughter and four grandchildren. Church work is her main interest.

Recent surgery prevented NANCY MADDOX RIVERS, Camilla, GA, from attending alumnae weekend, but she writes that she is thinking of all her friends who were able to attend.

## '30

HELEN CLARK NEAL, Columbus, GA, and husband Heidt celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at Callaway Gardens in January. Their five children with spouses, and ten grandchildren were among the guests. Also attending was LAURA LILLY McMICHAEL, '30, Quitman, GA, and her husband, Bill.

## '33

CAROLYN LAWTON HARRELL, HUNTSVILLE, AL, was honored alumnae weekend with an autograph party to celebrate her recently published book, *Kith and Kin*. The book is a family history spanning nearly three centuries.

DOROTHY LOMBARD ANDERSON and her husband, Walter, stopped by the alumnae office while passing through Macon. Though retired, she is kept busy as board chairman of the Beach Plum condominiums at Harwick Port, MA.

## '34

"I love my home, my family and my country so much you could hang me from a flagpole" writes a reporter in the *Tallahassee Democrat*, quoting JULIA MUNROE WOODWARD. In a recent article honoring her many accomplishments in Quincy, FL, the article summed "Miss Julia" up as "a 69 year-old community whirlwind."

EVELYN SEWELL RINEER, Cairo, GA, was honored alumnae weekend with an autograph party for her recently published book of poetry, *Star Dusting*.

"The reunion was wonderful in every way," wrote MARTHA ELLEN GAINES CASH, Winter Park, FL, of the Golden Belle Class. "I was so very proud to be there and to be a Wesleyanne."

"Golden Belle" MILDRED TAPLEY PERRY, Gadsden, AL, wrote, adding her special thanks for the wonderful time had by all class members in attendance.

## '36

Serving as hostess at Carson McLane, Inc., Valdosta, GA is PHILENA TYSON McLANE.

## '37

BARBARA C. JONES is business manager of the *Albany Herald* and treasurer of Gray Communications in Albany, GA.

MILDRED BRANNEN SANDERS, Statesboro, GA, writes proudly of her younger son Karl Walton Sanders's recent graduation from Emory medical school. She enjoys her three grandchildren, ages, 11, 7 and 4.

## '39

A trip to Egypt kept WINIFRED MILAM RICH, Manchester, GA, from attending her class reunion. "Charlie took early retirement," she writes, "and we've enjoyed traveling and relaxing."

MARYBETH JONES LEACH, Columbus, GA, writes that she enjoys visiting her four children, who live in Virginia, Tennessee, Idaho and



"Golden Belles," -class of 1934

California.

Having retired last year, ALPHA B. MADDOX, Columbus, GA, writes that she has been to an Elderhostel in Bermuda and has enjoyed bus trips in the States with the 39er Club of Macon.

MARY SHARPE ROBINSON, Sylvania, GA, writes that she sees SALLY McELROY, '38, and DOT WINK BOLDING, '38, Dalton, GA, almost monthly. Sally has just moved into her new home at Sky Valley near Highlands. Mary has 12 grandchildren and is "expecting" two more. She and Jack have recently been on a trip with the Boldings.

The 49ers' anniversary gift was given for the library in memory of JANE KENDRICK LAURENS.

## '42

MAY McMILLAN, Macon, GA, reports that her textbook entitled *The Shortest Way to the Essay: Rhetorical Strategies* will be published by Mercer University Press this summer. The book is based on techniques she developed in her advanced composition classes at Mercer, where she is Pollock Professor of English.

RUTH HILL REID POWELL, Valdosta, GA, is teaching 8th grade science at Valdosta Junior High School.

## '45

A watercolor by BETTYE MILTON PADEN, Hendersonville, NC, was selected in a nationwide competition to be hung in a juried show held at the Arts Club of Washington, D.C., in April, under the auspices of the National League of American Pen Women, Inc. Her works hang in many collections in the Southeast and abroad.

## '46

JOY TRULOCK, Valdosta, GA, serves as assistant director at the Valdosta State College Library.

## '47

"40 Years of Painting" was the title of THELMA D. BROWNETT'S retrospective exhibit recently held in her honor at Florida Junior College. She has been included in *Who's Who in American Art* and most recently received the Gold Medal "Academia



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Italia" award from Italy. She has also authored two books, *Painting, Student Handbook* and *Painting Art Studio Handbook, 1983*, which is currently used at F.J.C.

"We are trying to see the world as fast as we can," writes MARY BELLE GARDNER QUESENBERRY, Coral Gables, FL. This happy turn of events has been made possible since their son joined the business, freeing them to travel. They recently spent a month visiting Antarctica, the South Orkneys, the South Shetlands and the Falklands.

She dedicates much time at home to recording college books for the blind.

## '49

BETTY ATWATER, Macon, GA, continues her work as a dedicated teacher.

MARY LAUNIUS BEAUCHAMP, Lynchburg, VA, recently spent an afternoon "catching up" with roommate JEAN WALKER KNIGHT, '49, Norfolk, VA. They had not seen each other for twenty-five years!

JEANETTE MORGAN BESSELS, St. Simons Island, GA, reports, "I had a great time at my first reunion, even if I was the only Conservatory representative at the class dinner. The College 'girls' gave me an enthusiastic welcome." Both she and her husband are retired and enjoying life on St. Simons Island.

BEVERLY BANKS BOLAND, Atlanta, Ga, writes that husband Charles moved his dental practice to Buckhead after thirty years downtown. Their three children are married and she now enjoys an art career and four grandchildren.

MARY LANE EDWARDS CHEEK, Jacksonville, FL, brags that she feels

"home free" - her son is an attorney in Miami, her older daughter will graduate with a degree in veterinary medicine in June and has a job, and her younger daughter married on Valentine's Day!

ROSLYN ATKINSON HARDEN, Atlanta, Ga, sends the following news: daughter Roslyn married in August and daughter Laura is completing her master's in exercise physiology. Son Tim practices law in Brunswick and youngest son Reid (13) attends Marist High School. She says they manage to stay too busy, but love it!

JANE MORGAN HOGAN, Macon, GA, couldn't make the "49ers" jade reunion because her daughter was married that weekend to Mark Leggett, son of BINKY RUSSELL LEGGETT, '51, Macon, GA.

EMILY HANCOCK JONES missed the reunion to spend spring holidays with her youngest son, who is college-bound next fall. She writes that she is enjoying a busy life as a realtor on St. Simons Island.

ABBY GILLESPIE MATTHEWS, Athens, GA, and husband John have 3 sons and 2 grandsons. John is retired.

BETTY JANE DAVID ROBINSON, Shawnee Mission, KS, writes that she loved and appreciated the wonderful alumnae weekend and all the preparations of the alumnae office that made it all possible.

SARA STEWART ROUNTREE, Decatur, GA, writes that her news is three children in college - a senior at Duke, a sophomore at Washington and Lee and a sophomore at the University of Virginia.

CLARA HOLLIS SCHENKE, Millersville, PA, has four grown children - three eligible bachelors and

one lovely daughter! She reports that she keeps physically fit by swimming every day.

**ANNE STROZIER THREADGILL**, Greenville, GA, extends special thanks to her Decatur classmates who have been so supportive while husband Herman has been at Emory Hospital three times since last June. They have two married daughters and a son.

A recent newspaper article featured the volunteer work of **DR. MARCELLA DIVENTO WOOD**, Atlanta, Ga, who has donated one day a month to the Rockdale County Health Center for the past twenty years.

"This past year Hank and I reversed roles," reports **DOROTHY STUBBS HOLLINGSWORTH**, Chapel Hill, NC. He retired from teaching and she became a financial counselor to the parents of pediatric patients. "We are proud of our three daughters: Melissa, a college freshman; Amanda, a psychiatric nurse; Jane, a physician; and of our beautiful grandson, William."

**JULIA WEATHERS WYNNE**, Atlanta, Ga, teaches in the DeKalb County Schools. Husband Don is an educational consultant for insurance and financial planners. They have four children and one granddaughter.

## '50

**NANN ELDRIDGE MANLY**, Dalton, GA, has been named "Woman of the Year" by the **Dalton Daily Citizen News** in recognition of her work as director of Friendship House, a 16-hour day care facility serving families in need.

## '51

**ROBIN CHESNEY HOPKINS**, Bel Air MD, writes that their two daughters are grown and that she and her husband, recently retired, are planning a trip abroad next fall.

## '53

**HARRIET GETZEN KNIGHT**, Largo, FL, sends greetings to her class and expresses her disappointment in not being with the TRI K class of '53 for alumnae weekend.

**MARGARET NEAL DOTY**, Macon, GA, writes her thanks for alumnae weekend and promises that "the next time the class of '53 gets together I'll get more of the 'girls' there."

**LAURA AYLOR MARTIN**, reports that her campaign to get a Wesleyan group going in Colorado is going very well and that another get-together will take place as soon as her family is in their new home in Estes Park. A "Messiah Party" was held December 3 with **ANNA CLAIRE WILLIAMS ALLEN**, '55, and **NITA SEXTON DOWLING**, '55. She concludes her letter with this thought about her Wesleyan heritage. "I haven't found another philosophy of education to match the one from which I sprang educationally."

**OLIVE LONG KELLUM** enjoys teaching voice and piano in Griffin, GA, where husband Owen is the Senior Minister of First United Methodist Church. Daughter Vera Lynn and her husband are in the doctoral program at the University of Illinois, while son Glenn is in Emory graduate school and

daughter Natalie attends Birmingham Southern.

## '54

**ELIZABETH BATE McCRARY**, Macon, GA, writes that in addition to her work as a para accountant with a CPA firm, she has been an avid golfer for the past seven years and still enjoys swimming.

**NATALIE BREWTON BARFIELD**, Macon, GA, serves as the secretary at Vineville Methodist Church. She and husband Stan have a son at Auburn and two daughters studying at Mt. deSales High School.

**NELL WARREN HICKS**, Macon, GA, has been teaching children with learning disabilities for the past eight years. She has three sons and a daughter.

**LEAH WALLATT ODDEN**, Largo, FL, and husband Evan have a son, Miles (19), in the Navy and daughter, Danielle (16). Leah is a French teacher.

**RUTH FOREHAND MILLER**, Dawson, GA, and husband, Malcolm, have three daughters, Laurie, Lynn and Jan. Ruth is a homemaker.

**BONNIE GARDNER BARNES**, Charlotte, NC, teaches private piano students. Her outside activities also center around music, leading the handbell choir at church, playing in handbell festivals and playing the recorder with the Early Music Consort at Central Piedmont College. She and husband John, a minister, have a son, Patrick (24) and a daughter, Julie (21).

**JOAN ARLT HOPKINS**, Sarasota, FL, is library director for Sarasota County, FL. She and her husband have one son, Michael.

**PATRICIA MANGUM**, Augusta, GA, is administrator in the Department of Internal Medicine at the Medical College of Georgia.

**MARCIA MALLET ADES**, DeRidder, LA, has taken a year's sabbatical from her job as a school librarian to return to school. She and husband LeRoy have two married daughters and a son.

**BARBARA WALKER COBURN**, Albany, GA, is media coordinator for the county schools. She and husband Boyd have two daughters, Carol and Leah. Leah is to be married in August.

**RUTH WHITE FRUIT**, Tucker, GA,



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is principal of Linsey Elementary in DeKalb County. She and husband Ray have two daughters, Raylene (25) and Jeannine (22).

ETHEL McCURRY BURRISS, Savannah, GA, enjoys volunteer work with the Junior League, church and civic groups. She and husband Ernie, a dentist, have three sons, a daughter and one grandson.

ANN PARSONS ODUM, Duluth, GA, owns and operates Parson's Stores in Duluth, Cummings and Lawrenceville. She writes that she is still trying to be an artist and studies art in Atlanta. She and husband Wallace have four children, Flournoy, Carey, Ken and Sharon.

JUNE CASON MAYER, Trenton, NJ, is senior information chemist for the FMC Corporation in Princeton, NJ.

RITCHEY YOST is director of the Kentucky Foster Grandparents Program.

DOLORES ENGLISH DAVIDSON, Macon, GA, writes that she has retired from teaching and is enjoying being a housewife, doing churchwork and looking forward to her first grandchild expected in the fall of '84. She and husband George have four sons.

DONNIE DONALDSON PORTER-FIELD, Sylvania, GA, recently has had a short story published in *Georgia on my Mind*, an anthology of Georgia writers.

In addition to her work as an inter-related resource teacher in the Coweta County Schools, EMILY THOMASSON SEALY, Newnan, GA, and husband Albert have a wholesale tire company. Their son, Albert III, is a sophomore at Wofford College.

LOUISE WHITE has moved to Marietta, GA, to take a position as acquisitions librarian at Southern Tech.

JOYCE PARIS, Decatur, GA, is completing her 28th year as a teacher and principal at Glenwood School.

ANNE HARRELL ESCO, Huntsville, AL, is the membership representative for the Better Business Bureau. Two of her children are married and a third graduates from the University of Alabama this year.

ATHELYN WADE BUTTRILL, Decatur, GA, plans to return to teaching next fall after rearing five children and working part-time with her husband's company.

JEAN MALONE SEEMUILLER, Albany, GA, and husband Gene are active partners in their insurance business. Son Tom lives in Albany and is senior community epidemiologist for the State of Georgia.

## '56

Since August '82 CHARLOTTE POOLE HARRELL, St. Simons, GA, has been in Tallahassee part-time completing her master's degree with a concentration in fiction writing. This is being accomplished with the encouragement of husband Wallace and their three college-age sons.

While on furlough, ROSALIE VOGT JOHNSON, M.D., Mutare, Zimbabwe, and husband Morgan visited their daughter, LINDA JOHNSON, '82, who is teaching biology in Benin, West Africa with the Peace Corps. They next stopped over in Paris to visit MARY JOHNSON, '83, who is studying architecture, before coming to Georgia for the duration of the furlough. While in the states, they visited churches in Georgia and South

Carolina, seeking financial support for their work in Zimbabwe.

KAY JOHNSON BERGH, Hawkinsville, GA, works for the Department of Children and Family Services.

JERE HOUSE IRBY, Blackstone, VA, asks that we give her new address at the Colonial Arms Apartments, K-3, in Blackstone where she is living. "There are a lot of people with whom I have lost contact and would like to locate."

## '57

ROSEMARY WOOD DODD, Gainesville, Ga, director of advancement at Gainesville Junior College, was the 1984 conference chairperson for the Council for Advancement and Support of Education District III Conference held in Atlanta in February.

MARY MARGARET TURNER DANCY, Brookfield, WI, has a son entering Georgia Tech in the fall.

## '58

The work of artist LINDA McELVOY STEED, (Lu), Atlanta, GA, was recently featured at an exhibit at the Hay House in Macon.

## '59

PATRICIA ATKINS MATTHEWS, Montgomery, AL, received her master's of education from Auburn and serves as Director of Community Services at Auburn in Montgomery.

LUDY BANKS PEAVY, Byron, GA, has four children-three in college. She earned a master's degree in guidance and counseling and is a counselor at Macon Junior College.

SYLVIA ANDERSON POWELL, Columbus, GA, and husband Bill have three daughters, two of whom are currently students at Wesleyan, and one a sophomore in high school. Bill is pastor at St. Paul United Methodist Church. Daughter Libbie has recently been elected president of Student Government. Billie also holds a student government position.

CAROL KING POPE, Macon, GA, could only make the class party alumnae weekend since she is a "working artist" and was exhibiting in an art show in Alabama.

MARY TERRELL MITCHELL, Macon, GA, and husband Johnny

have a son, John, graduating from V.M.I.; a daughter, Mary Eva, at Mercer and a son, Terrell, in high school. Johnny is a Vice President at Mercer. Mary is very involved in club work. Mary Eva will be presented at the 1984 Bon Hommes Yule Ball in December '84.

Five sons, two daughters-in-law and two grandchildren fill the days for MARGIE HENDRIX BARDEN and husband Ron, who have the Burger King franchise in Thomasville, GA.

CHRIS CHRISTOPHER KELSEY, Tampa, FL, reports that her two children are "almost grown"-20 and 22. Husband Dave is Director of Human Resources at University Community Hospital in Tampa, and Chris has a part-time private practice in counseling. "I enjoy calligraphy and doing some pottery, and friends are top priority."

ANNE SWETNAM BARTON, Beaufort, SC, is the reading supervisor for Beaufort County Schools where husband Don is school superintendent. They have two daughters, 21 and 11.

This reunion had special meaning for SARAH WITTSTRUCK FISHER, St. Petersburg, FL, since her graduating daughter was inducted into the alumnae association! They also have a daughter at the University of Florida and a son in high school.

BETTY KEELS CORNING, Hartsville, SC, says "twenty-five is wonderful and it is great fun to see everyone again."

PAT MAY IERLEY, Cedar Grove, NJ, writes "I'm the happy mother of three terrific teenagers, am enjoying life in general and tennis in particular, wish all you '59ers who didn't show up for our 25th would start planning to attend our 30th. We missed you."

MAUREEN BASS ROGERS, Montgomery, AL, met husband Bill while directing plays for the Montgomery Little Theatre where she just opened her 17th play to rave reviews. She also does a television show and was named to the National Council for the Arts by President Carter.

JULIE ELLIOTT GREER, Thomaston, GA, notes "Enjoyed so much being with everyone - it was great!!" Their two children, daughter Powell and son Patrick, both attend the University of South Carolina.

JANE POWERS WELDON, Atlanta, GA, reports that she and husband Ed are back in Atlanta, where Ed is director of the Georgia Department of Archives and History and she is director of publications at the Atlanta Historical Society. Son Larry is married and Ted is a senior at Druid Hills High School.

CARMEN MOORE JACKSON, Monroe, LA, has three children - Kim, 24, an accountant; Katy, 22, a petroleum engineer and Mike, 20, a student at L.S.U.

JAN FENDER DAUGHTRY, Augusta, GA, and husband Kenneth have two boys, ages 17 and 20. In addition to volunteer work with children who have specific learning disabilities, she keeps books for her husband who has an automotive parts business.

MARIE BUTLER NEEL, Macon, GA, says she and Joe are enjoying their children growing up. Their oldest son, 23, works in the family business; Marie, 19, is in college and Josh, 17, is in high school.

CAY MURPHEE HARTLEY, Washington, DC, is working as a social worker at a secondary student exchange program in DC.

BEVERLY ANNE COMER COLE, Dalton, GA, and her husband have three children - Don Jr., 24; Stephen, 20; and Catherine, 15. She is president of Commer Farms, Inc., a specialty food company specializing in Georgia products.

"How privileged we all are to have lived with and enjoyed such a diverse group of neat people," writes LEE BRENNAMAN WILLIAMS, Atlanta,

GA. Teaching in special education, rearing four children (one married, one in college, two in high school), she claims, assures a "continuing supply of gray hair and wrinkles!"

MANITA BOND DEAN, Athens, GA, is the senior speech-language pathologist for a small hospital; while husband, O.C., serves as a campus minister at U.G.A. Daughter Becky is a freshman at Georgia Tech.

BETTY JORDON HILEY, Ft. Valley, GA, is enjoying her new granddaughter, Michele, who just celebrated her first birthday.

ANN AIKEN BURCH, Atlanta, GA, is assistant principal at the Inman Middle School.

CAROLYN WADE BARRY, Macon GA, held her class's 25th reunion party. "I have loved every minute of this 25th reunion. It was like we had never missed the last 25 years of each others lives." Carolyn and Buster's son Art, 23, has graduated and is working in Jacksonville. Daughter Texas, 20, a sophomore at U.G.A., will be presented at the Bon Hommes Yule Ball in December '84.

## '62

LATRELLE BLACKBURN OLIVER, Oxford, GA, teaches language arts to eighth graders in Newton County.

## '64

MARY HELEN HALL RINGE, Tallahassee, FL, wants classmates to know she had to miss alumnae weekend because of family activities



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requiring her attendance, but was truly there in "good old Green Knight Spirit"!

GLEND A NEILL KIPP, Americus, GA, recently has been named assistant operations officer of the Citizens Bank.

## '65

SUZANNAH THOMASON, Macon, GA, has been named winner of the first scholarship from the Women's Scholarship Fund at Mercer University. She is working on a master of liberal studies degree in marriage and family while working as a psychiatric social worker.

MARTHA JO BURNETT FOUNTAIN, Macon, GA, an elementary music teacher in the Bibb County system, recently has given a workshop teaching the Orff-Schulwerk theory of music instruction she is introducing in Bibb County Schools. She went to Salzburg, Austria, for intensive training in this method, which allows children to develop skills in singing, rhythm, improvisation, playing instruments, reading notes and listening to music. She is vice-president of the Orff Association.

## '66

MARION SPENCER MOSLOW, Summit, NJ, has joined the Associated Merchandising Corporation in New York as divisional vice president of sportswear. She is responsible for domestic and foreign operations.

JO BOGAN PROUT, West Palm Beach, FL, is executive director of the YWCA. Her godchild, Bern Wallace, is a junior at Wesleyan.

## '68

BABS RICHARDSON PIRKLE, Marietta, GA, reports that in the past 16 years she has been involved in a number of things ranging from church activities to politics to heading a volunteer recruiting agency for Cobb County. In addition to her work in music directing Georgia's largest children's choir, she is a member of the music ministry for the fifth largest music program in the Southern Baptist Convention. All this activity takes place in addition to being a wife and "Mom to a beautiful 13 year old."

When NANCY LOWE TAYLOR, Smyrna, GA, married in June of 1982, seven Wesleyannes attended - HELEN JACKSON, NANCY McMEEN, MARSHA FERNALD, ANNE BANISTER, SARA WALTERS, BABS RICHARSON, and MARY ELLA GIBSON. She sends her love to all.

CHARLOTTE KNOX CANIDA, Madison, IN, and dentist husband, Bob, have two children, Christy and Ben.

SUSAN HAMMETT FREEMAN writes that she has been in LaGrange, GA, ever since she left Wesleyan second semester of her sophomore year. Mother of two boys, (12 and 15), she has been substitute teaching and working with calligraphy.

SUSAN JONES CLEMENTS, Bartow, FL, missed the reunion to celebrate her anniversary with husband Tom, Senior Vice President at Citrus and Chemical Bank. Three active sons keep her busy, but she is doing some freelance writing in addition to her work as an interior decorator.

VICKI PAGE JAUS, Lafayette, IN, has taught for the last eight years in an adult basic education program and plans to return to full-time public school teaching in the fall. Husband Hal is a Purdue professor and they have two daughters, Jennifer (10) and Margaret (7). She saw BUNNY EDDY LANCASTER, '68, and family at Christmas.

LYNDA OGBURN ANDERSON, Burke, VA, is busy with Christopher (8½), Michael (4½), and Patrick (16 months) and husband, Jim: but still finds time for aerobic dancing, Bible study and breadbaking! She and her family plan to be in Macon July 6-13.

MARION POINTER PORTER, Bena, VA, lives near Williamsburg and would love classmates to get in touch when visiting Williamsburg. A realtor, Marion and her husband have two



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sons, Meade (12) and Brad (8).

**SALLY PLOWDEN STEVENSON**, Lakewood, CO, sends the following vital statistics: wife of John, mother of Robert (9) and Ann (7); occupation, professional

homemaker/mother/volunteer; avocations, skiing, backpacking, and scuba diving. She would like to see Wesleyan-ans visiting in the Denver area.

**MARTHA WHITFIELD WILLIS**, Morganton, NC, and husband Larry, an ophthalmologist, have two children, Derek (9) and Heather (6).

**MARJORIE WELCH GREEN**, York, PA, could not attend the class reunion; she was conducting a special Lenten Cantata that weekend. In addition to her work with three church choirs, she teaches voice and piano to twenty students. She and her husband, Tom, have a daughter, Debbie (8).

**ELLIS NORTH MCINTYNE**, Decatur, GA, sends the following news: "I remarried several years ago and now have 18 month old Amanda as well as 9 year old Justin. I would love to see old friends.!"

**BABS BATTSON FERREL**, Houston, TX, writes that she and husband Tom enjoy seeing **CHERYL GRANTHAM FEE**, '68, and husband Jerry. Babs is a full-time homemaker since the birth of their son, Jackson, born in February of '83.

**SUZANNE MOORE MCGOVERN**, Maitland, FL, works in the public relations department at Disneyworld. She and her husband, Dave, have three children.



*Robin Hood Geisler*

**ROBIN HOOD GEISLER**, Orlando, FL, couldn't make the reunion but sent the above picture of her four "excuses". She has "retired" from teaching and sends her love to her classmates.

**ELOISE MAXWELL STARBUCK**, Birmingham, AL, taught school for 10 years in Georgia, Alabama, and

Hawaii. Married to John since 1968, she now sells real estate.

**BRENDA WILHOIT ELEBASH**, Pensacola, FL, is having fun coaching a soccer team of 15 boys. Brenda says, "Thanks to Wesleyan!"

**PATTY PEARCE CARDIN**, Dothan, AL, and husband Larry, president of First Alabama Bank of Dothan, have two children, Colby (10) and Allison (13). She enjoys golf, bridge, community volunteer work and her church.

**SUSAN COBLEIGH MEDLOCK**, Stone Mountain, GA, and husband Wade, new director at WGST Radio, have two girls, Meghan, (9) and Caitlin (7). She teaches dancing aerobics at the YMCA and now is taking professional jazz lessons.

**GAIL FULTON MURPHY**, Boynton, FL, writes that she divides her time between traveling the P.G.A. golf tour circuit with husband Bob and taking care of their 15 year old daughter, Kim. She urges classmates who live in cities where P.G.A. tournaments are held to contact her by calling the clubhouse and leaving a message in the locker room for Bob so that she can contact you.



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**JENNY CRAPPS JOHNSON**, Live Oak, FL, reports that she has been "married 16 years to the same wonderful guy" and they have two children, Virginia (6) and Will (5). For 12 years she taught in high school, followed by 3 years as a full-time homemaker. Presently she is director of public relations for a bank.

**PENNY BAGGS KWILECKI**, Bainbridge, GA, is a math facilitator for two elementary schools and supervises the math program for 1200 students and 65 teachers. She and husband Gerard, an industrial engineer, have three children, ages 10, 12 and 14.

**RUTH ANNE GRAY RANDOLPH**, Columbia, SC, and husband Alan, a U.S.C. professor, have three girls. She is a full-time mother and a part-time human resources consultant.

**JEAN RUSSELL**, Fairburn, GA, returned to Fairburn two years ago after 10 years in Denver, Colorado. Mother of two sons, Pete (13) and Alex (10) she is the public relations manager for the Westin Peachtree Plaza.

**JANE PRICE CLAXTON**, Macon, GA, teaches eighth grade English at Mt. deSales High School. She has two children, Joe (12½) and Ann Margaret (10).

**ELLEN BEARD MARTIN**, Kingstree, SC, and husband "Skeet" have two children. She works part-time in a pre-school program and does volunteer work.

**CHERYL GRANTHAM FEE**, Houston, TX, and husband Jerry have one daughter born in May of '81. She is vice president and director of both WTS of Houston and of World Transportation Services, Inc., and a partner in Pyramid Investments, a real estate investment company.

'GINNA LARSON SCHNEIDER,

Arlington, VA, and husband Al, an attorney, have three children, Andrew (9), Will (5) and Thomas (1½). She is active in volunteer community activities.

**VIRGINIA PARKER SANDERS**, Lexington, KY, returned to school in 1971 and again in 1979, graduating with a degree in respiratory therapy. Currently employed at the University of Kentucky Medical Center, she will be married June 2 to John Robert White, M.D.

**CHERYL MAUND PAGE**, Sautee, GA, works part-time in the Gainesville, GA, hospital.

JUDY DAVIS POWELL, Gainesville, GA, is completing a doctoral program in marketing at Georgia State and has accepted a teaching position at the University of Richmond for the fall. She and husband Robert have a daughter, Susannah (2½).

## '70

MARY GRAHAM, Greensboro, NC, will teach foods and nutrition at Berea College in the fall of '84. She is currently finishing work for her Ph.D. at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro.

CHRIS OLSON SIBLEY-RAPOSO, Atlanta, GA, was recently featured for her ceramics as part of a show entitled "Five Fabulous Women."

LINDA ENNIS JOHNSON, Tampa, FL, is a partner in a florist business, "The Petal Pushers of Tampa."

CHARLENE PAYNE KAMMERER, Durham, NC, has been appointed for a one year term as acting minister to Duke University, effective July 1. She will be the first woman in the United States to be appointed as Minister to a University.

EMORYETTE McDONALD, Tallahassee, FL, is assistant director of personnel programs for the Florida Board of Regents.

## '71

BARBARA BRINSON, Tallahassee, FL, is currently attending F.S.U. pursuing a Ph.D. in music education.

SHARI RICHARDSON ARRINGTON, Havanna, FL, is a kindergarten teacher.

## '72

M. ELOISE BROWN CARTER, Decatur, GA, received the Ph.D. in biology from Emory in March. In celebration of this accomplishment,



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she and husband Steve traveled to the Galapagos Islands in June. She is assistant professor of biology at Agnes Scott College.

## '73

BLAIR BERGSTROM, Cambridge, MA, is traveling the world in her work for Harvard Business Review. Recently returned from four months in Europe, she is also traveling in Japan and China.

## '74

LICIA DRINNON JACKSON, Columbus, GA, had the very best excuse for not making her tenth reunion! Licia, Grant, and sons, Grant and Jonathon, welcomed a baby sister, Kiliary Lauren, into the family on April 2.

SUE SHERRILL BURDETTE moved to Oklahoma in November where husband Donny is an engineer with Daniel Construction. They have three children, Natalie (6), Trey (3) and Zach (1).

GAIL DIXON MANN, Curitiba, Brazil, is training a bell choir in the First Baptist Church in Curitiba. She

also teaches bell ringing at the Theological Seminary. Gail is in Brazil with husband Ned as Southern Baptist missionaries.

JANIS EUGENIA PRICE, New York, NY, has been named an assistant vice president at E.F. Hutton Company.

SARAH TURNBALL SNOW, Marietta, GA, has been nominated to *Who's Who In Professional Women*.

## '75

SUSAN WARD KYPRESS, Tallahassee, FL, is in graduate school.

JEAN BARGERON BENDER, Atlanta, GA, is a supervisor for Glasroads Medical Services.

DENISE CAULEY GRAHAM has moved to the West Indies for 18 months where her husband, Errol, will be in medical school at the American University of the Caribbean.

LAURA YOUNG PINGSTON, Kitzingen, Germany, writes that she and husband Edward have a daughter, Toni, born February 11.

SANDRA LONG WOOLEY, Lincolnton, NC, was ordained to the priesthood on May 2 at St. Paul's Church, Chattanooga, by the Bishop of Western North Carolina.

## '76

KATHLEEN ELIZABETH WALSH, M.D., New Orleans, LA, has been selected to appear in the 1983 awards volume, *Outstanding Young Women of America*.

JACKIE HERRON GILMER, Jackson, TN, is executive director of the Jackson Arts Council. Jackie sends her love to everyone.



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## '78

DEBBIE ROGERS STOUTENBURG recently moved to Virginia where husband Jay will work for IBM.

CANDY MUEHLHAUER SHOCKLEY, Birmingham, AL, graduated from law school last year and is practicing with a law firm in Birmingham.

DAWN SUPP TAYLOR, Valdosta, GA, is a probation officer.

DONNA McGRAW, Birmingham, AL, is director of the Community Kitchens of Birmingham which feeds 10,000 people each month. "The job, though challenging, is quite rewarding," she writes.

JUDY DAY POWELL, Mauldin, MO, serves on the Mauldin City Council.

BRYNDIS ROBERTS JENKINS, Decatur, GA, is an assistant attorney general for the State of Georgia. Husband William practices law in Atlanta. They have two daughters, Jennifer Yvonne (3) and Jessica Kathleen (1).

JENA THURSTON NASH, Greensboro, NC, send news of her wedding in July of '83. Her sister, LEE THURSTON SHUGRUE, '74, was matron of honor, CLAIRE MITCHELL BANTON, '77, was a bridesmaid.

## '79

STEPHANIE BURKHALTER HUNTER, Albany, GA, teaches second grade at St. Teresa's School.

LINDA STEWART SCOTT, Columbia, SC, writes that her husband, Art, is completing a general dentistry residency at Ft. Jackson. In August they will move to Fairbanks, Alaska, with their daughter Valerie Ann (1), for a three year tour of duty.

## '80

MINDY FRAISER, Raleigh, NC, has taken a position as a research assistant with Becton Dickinson Company, a company doing research in genetic engineering and immuno-diagnostics.

LISA CANNINGTON BURNETTE, Valdosta, GA, has just completed her master's degree in early childhood education. Her husband, Dan, is a Staff Sgt. in the U.S.A.F. A kindergarten teacher, she has been named as an "Outstanding Young Woman of America."

VALERIE COWART STRICKLIN, Wilmore, KY, has begun doctoral study in voice while husband Owen is studying for the ministry.

## '81

Works of art by KATHY RAY, Macon, GA, were recently featured in an exhibit, "Prints: Macon," at the Museum of Arts and Sciences. The show displayed works of four local printmakers.

CAROLINE THOMAS, Symrna, GA, was awarded a scholarship in January

to the Curtis Institute of Music in Philadelphia for 1984-85. She completed her master's degree in voice at the University of Tennessee in 1983.

## '82

CATHY SILVA, Atlanta, GA, writes of her recent promotion at C & S Bank where she is one of two technical writers in the Branch Training Department. Mom's proud of you, Cathy.

CATHERINE EBNER, Oakhurst, NJ, is working at CMC Electronics, Inc., as a receptionist following her completion of the entire program at Katherine Gibbs School in New Jersey.

## '83

KIM MILLER POUNDS, Ellaville, GA, is working at Great Southern Federal Savings Bank in Macon. Husband Scott is a project engineer with the Engelhard Corporation in McIntyne, GA.

IRENE C. SHONELSKI, Macon, GA, is a law student at Mercer.

BETH KOON, TALLAHASSEE, FL, is a graduate student at F.S.U.

DONNA HAM, Danville, GA, is a civil service logistic specialist.

BARBARA STOUT, Tallahassee, FL, is a graduate student in chemistry at F.S.U.

JUDITH LANE, Mountville, SC, is a lab biologist with an engineering firm.

LISA STORY, Milledgeville, GA, is director of Christian education at First United Methodist and director of the Christian involvement through youth ministry for the Augusta district.



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## McKELLAR SCHOLARSHIP ESTABLISHED

Addie Marie McKellar Baird (A.B. 1939) has established the McKellar Scholarship Fund for students of music. The fund memorializes Mrs. Baird's father, Professor I.E. McKellar, who taught Latin and Greek at Wesleyan from 1915 to 1943; Mrs. Baird's mother, Anna Belle McCrory McKellar (Class of 1910); and Mrs. Baird's aunt, Dr. Clare McKellar (A.B. 1907).

Mrs. Baird's family history includes

many relatives who attended Wesleyan from both her mother's and her father's families beginning with her grandmother, Susie Adele Berry McCrory, class of 1885. Mrs. Baird is a magna cum laude graduate and a member of Phi Kappa Phi. She received her M.Ed. at Mercer and taught in the Bibb County Schools.

Donations to the McKellar Scholarship are welcomed.

## Alumnae Hold Meetings

Wesleyan alumnae clubs and chapters held winter and spring meetings in Valdosta, Tallahassee, Albany, Columbus, Atlanta, Macon, Savannah, Jacksonville, Columbus, Americus, Alexandria, VA and Lakeland, FL. Special guests at these meetings included Alumnae President Laura Sullivan Barkley ('68), Alumnae Director Frances Van Horn ('53), AAR Director Katherine Johnson ('68), the Wesleyannes choral ensemble and President Robert K. Ackerman.



Pictured (l to r) at the Tallahassee meeting are: Shari Richardson Arrington, Barbara Brinson, Alumnae Association President Laura Sullivan Barkley, and Chapter Chairman Pam Huston Rosenburg.



The Valdosta chapter luncheon was held at "The Landmark," home of Gloria Boyette Price.



(l to r) AAR Director Katherine Wilson Johnson, with Beulah Laslie Brinson and AAR Chairman Gini Dodd Lane at Tallahassee meeting.



(l) Helen Jackson Burgin and (r) Wilda Maddox Wilson at the Columbus chapter meeting.

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Connie Averett ('84) worked as a respiratory therapy intern in a large metropolitan hospital. Her duties took her into many departments of the hospital.



Beth Tankersley ('85) was an intern with a major shopping center merchant's association. Responsible for internal communications, hostessing and displays, Beth also practiced photography skills.